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CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Dale Hoffman, CPL
Manager, Land & External Affairs
Caelus Energy Alaska
700 G Street, Suite 600
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Re: Approval of Designation of Successor Unit Operator of the Oooguruk Unit

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

By letter dated June 11, 2014, Caelus Natural Resources Alaska, LLC (Caelus), as Operator of the Oooguruk Unit (OU), provided the State of Alaska, Department of Natural Resources (DNR), Division of Oil and Gas (Division), notice of assumption of rights and obligation of the unit operator of the OU.

Under 11 AAC 83.331(c), no designation or change of the unit operator becomes effective until approved by the Commissioner.

Caelus is qualified to fulfill the duties and obligations prescribed in the OU agreement. By this decision, the Division hereby approves Caelus as successor unit operator of the OU pursuant to Article 6 of the Oooguruk Unit Agreement and 11 AAC 83.331(c), effective April 1, 2014.

An eligible person affected by this decision may appeal it, in accordance with 11 AAC 02. Any appeal must be received within 20 calendar days after the date of "issuance" of this decision, as defined in 11 AAC 02.040(c) and (d), and may be mailed or delivered to Joe Balash, Commissioner, Department of Natural Resources, 550 W. 7th Avenue, Suite 1400, Anchorage, Alaska 99501; faxed to 1-907-269-8918; or sent by electronic mail to dnr.appeals@alaska.gov. This decision takes effect immediately. An eligible person must first appeal this decision in accordance with 11 AAC 02 before appealing this decision to Superior Court. A copy of 11 AAC 02 may be obtained from any regional information office of the Department of Natural Resources.

Sincerely,

A blue ink signature of W. C. Barron.

W. C. Barron
Director

cc: R. Province, ENI
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